FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION COMMISSION COMMISSI

In the Matter of)	Jun 30	1 43 PH *98
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Embassy of India and Davendra Singh)		

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GENERAL COUNSEL'S REPORT

By letter dated December 5, 1997, addressed to the Embassy of India and forwarded through the United States Department of State, this Office requested that the embassy respond to informal questions and document requests by January 30, 1998. The embassy, through the State Department, informed this Office that the Government of India would reply by the date requested in our letter. When this Office did not receive a response, it sent a letter informing the embassy of its intent to proceed to the next stage of the enforcement process. As this Office was about to send the probable cause brief, the State Department, on June 19, 1998, forwarded the embassy's reply. Attachment 1. The reply, an Aide Memoire dated June 18, 1998, does not provide any useful information or documentation. The probable cause brief, which is being sent out at this time, incorporates the embassy's reply.

Date

Lawrence M. Noble General Counsel

Attachment

1. Cover Letter and Aide Memoire from the Embassy of India, dated June 18, 1998.

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